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Hongkong, 17th August, 1894.

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be obtained. All Chafed and Damaged Goods must, be left | Fill Undersigned has received Instructions in the Godowne (and Notice of same sent in to the Office of the Company) where they will bo examined at NOON ON THE 22ND INSTANT, after which date no claims will be recognised Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by this Company in any case.

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Hongkong, 16th August, 1894.

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the 18th day of August, at Twelve o'clock

NOON, for the purpose of RECEIVING the REPORT of the Court of Directors together.

with a STATEMENT of AUGUUNT to 30th

By Order of the Court of Directors;

THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAD

BANKING CORPORATION.

OTICE is hereby given that the REGIS.
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TION will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the

inclusive), during which period No Transfer of

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By Order, of the Court of Directors,

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

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in the Oppices of the Company, No. 14. Prays.

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STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS to the 30th

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 20th

NOTICE

THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING

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IN ACCORDANCE with the Provision of

No. 121 of the ARTICLES OF ARE CIA-

MON, the GENERAL AGENTS have This Day

Declared an INTERIAL DIVIDEND of B Per

Cent for the Half Year ending 80th June, 1 94, on the Paid Up Capital of the Company.

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## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY No. 5 OF 1804.

SHANG, OTHERWISE CHEUNG SHUT SANG, OTHERWISE CHEUNG PO DECEASED

TOTICE is hereby given that an Administration Order in Bankruptcy dated the 10th day of August 1894, has been made in respect of the Estate of Chrung Sui Shang. otherwise CHRUNG SHUL SANG Otherwise CHEUNG Po, late of No. 198. Hollywood Road. Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and of Macao. Compredore, deceased, who died at Macao on or about the 7th day of June last intestate, and the undersigned has been appoint. ed Trustee of the said Estate. All persons having any claims or demands

against the said Estate are hereby required to prove the same or or before Monday, the First day of October next, and all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to make immediate payment to the undersigned at the Land Office, Queen's Road Central.

Forms of Proof and Proxy may be obtained on application at the Land Office. Dated this 11th day of August, 1894. BRUCE SHEPHERD. Trustee.

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Hongkong, August 17th, 1894. THE Naval Court of Inquiry which is to be held at Shanghai in connection with the sinking of the Kowshing can hardly bring out any further facts than those already published in the narratives of the survivors, so for as regards the actual sinking of the vessel, but it will be interesting to have the witnesses subjected to cross-examination as to the conduct of the Japanese when the living freight was struggling in the water. Out of the eight Europeans on board three only were saved, namely, the captain, the chief officer, and Mr. von Hanneken, the Chinese military adviser, who was a passenger on board. It will be the duty of the naved lost their lives, the Chinese as well the question whether they were fired upon by the Japanese while in the water. It is to be fared, however, that one of the Europeans will not be available as a witness, as Mr. von HANNEREN, whose evidence would have been especially valuable, will naturally be unable to leave his duties in the North at this important crisis. It would be satisfactory if witnesses from the Japanese man-of-war could attend to give the Japanese version of what happened, but the flict of evidence. That there was firing is Japanese Government would of course not tribunal as a Naval Court of Inquiry. The inquiry will therefore be virtually ex parte comrades as had jumped overboard. position to form a judgment on the circumstances han it is at the present moment. The Japanese have been charged with inhumanity, and the only remaining uncertainty in the case is in counection with that charge. Up to the point of the sinking of the Kowshing the behaviour of the Naniwa appears to have been

irreprobchable. It is true that at the time

been no formal declaration of war, nor in-

deed at the time she was sunk, but hosti-

dries were virtually at war, and the Japanese

per sice during the continuance of the war.

According to the laws of modern warfare,

which forbid the unnecessary infliction of

the Kowshing sailed from Taku there

of a state of hestilities having been given, the ship, and Captain Gazawortar, after that in conveying troops the vessel was com- mentioning seeing Mr. Von Hannesen. mitting a breach of recognised international says: "Knowing that shots, from the law. Compensation will also bave to be Naniwa could not strike near me, owing paid to the relatives of the ship's officers "to being shelfered by the hull of the Kowand crew who lost their lives; but the moral shing, I turned on my back and saw responsibility for their death rests with the "Chinese soldiers firing at me from the Chinese rather than the Japanese, and "deck and the tween deck ports." This sug-

there is reason to believe some of them were gests some doubt as to whether Mr. von netuelly killed by shots fired by the Chinese. HANNEXEN might not have been mistaken The Naniwa ordered the Kowshing to fol. as to any of the shots coming from the Japalow her, the obvious intention being that she mose, for he also would be under the lee of should be taken to Japan, like the Teachiang, the Kowshing. Mr. Tampun also, after where the soldiers would have been detained saying he thought it would be dangerous to as prisoners of war. Captain Calsworms make for the island with the Chinese, says!—| the death-rate was 198, as against 224 in the long. During the winter months one or two buchers. Acting Secretary's half yearly freport; in fact was willing to obey the order, but the Chi- So I again turned and taking off all my NOW READY, and Orders are being booked ness refused to allow him to do so, saying clothes made for the Naniva, which had for delivery on arrival of the Socds. They will they would sooner die than surrender. Full "now drifted considerably away from the be executed in the sequence in which they are warning was given and every opportunity "ship and was not using her guns as far as afforded, so far as the Japanese were con- "I can remember." So far as the balance cerned, for the Europeans to leave the ship, of the European evidence goes, therefore, the but the Chinese would not allow them to go. alleged shooting of the drowning people. The Chinese also had the opportunity of by the Japanese seems to be negatived. saving their lives by surrendering, but re. PEDRO ORIATE, one of the crew who saved fused to do so. Virtually they took possession | himself by climbing the mast, said, he "was of the ship, which has been called an act of "very frightened and did not see if any law the honour to be, sir, your obedient shall be exposed for sale in any market piracy, but it may be more correctly de- | "boats were destroyed by shot. There was scribed as a paroxysm of patriotism ap- "great bloodshed." This was in the examipreaching actual madness. At all events nation of some of the survivors at Tientsin they made their selection to die rather than by Mr. DETRING and a Chinese official surrender and the sinking of the ship, from agents for H E. Li HUNG-CHANG. Another the Japanese point of view, then became a witness, a fireman, who got into one of the necessity. Up to this point no inhumanity | boats, said the Japanese fired on the boat can be alleged. Was it then the duty of and sank it and that the shot fell like rain the Japanese, after the ship went down, to among the swimming people. A third endeavour to save the people struggling in the witness a Chinese military captain, said he water? They did so as regards the Euro- saw the quick-firing gun fired from the peans, Capain Galsworthy and Mr. Tamp- gunboat at the people swimming, but that was laid on the table.

hin both being picked up by a boat from the the people on the Kowshing's must were not The President suggested that the matter tion in favour of small quantities of Shanghai Japanese vessel, but it does not appear that fired at. The other two witnesses examined any attempt was made to save the Chinese; speak of the Japanese firing at the people Hon. Ho Kai. on the contrary, it is alleged that, with a swimming, but it is very possible that the barbarity almost inconceivable, the Japanese, firing to which they refer was that directed fired on the struggling mass of humanity in upon the escaping boats. Had the Jupanese the water, and it is certain that they really intended to slaughter every man they balf yearly report referred at great length to fired on two of the Kowshing's bouts, would hardly have refrained from firing which had floated as the ship went down on the thirty-three people on the mast, and and which a number of persons had instead of a total of two hundred escaping an account of the houses drained in accordance succeeded in getting into. If these boats barely a dozen could have reached the shore with the new system—total 897, out of about were endeavouring to escape, instead of ly- alive. We are therefore disposed to accept tinnes-"A certain number of complaints coning to for surrender, the case may be con- Captain Galsworthy's and Mr. Tamplin's tinne to be made concerning the liability sidered somewhat analogous to that of statements as conveying the more correct of the new pipe drains to get out an action on land in which the enemy, idea of what really occurred. The loss however, that in nearly every case the choking being broken up and flying in disorder, are of life was most lamentable, but not a is due to gross misuse of the drains by the pursued by cavalry sent after them to cut single life need have been lost had the down as many as possible, the pursuit being Chinese surrendered at the outset. We may continued as far as may be considered safe. admire the spirit which prompted them to liquids and not of solids. I venture to repeat a self, and he said that he found the bacilli in the As to picking up the men in the water, or- die fighting, but the Chinese, refusal of dinary humanity would seem to indicate that quarter must be held to absolve the by laws by inserting a clause rendering tenants | houses in the enclosed streets of Taipingshan; that should have been done if circumstances | Japanese from responsibility for the subseadmitted of it. Before condemning the quant consequences, even if the force used

Japanese, however, it would be only fair to wait for their own version of what the circumstances actually were, or were supposed to be. An engagement with Chinese mon-ofwar had just taken place, and the Commander the fund organized for the benefit of the plange Only communications relating to the news columns of the Naniwa may have but reason to workers: suppose that a larger Chinese force was not far off and that he could not with prudence send out his boats on the work of rescue. In the war between Italy and Austria in 1866-the Austrian flagship Ferdinand Max rammed the Italian ironclad Re d'Italia, which sank. The Austrian Admiral ordered on Saturday week. his vessel to be stopped and the boats to be but out to save the Italians who were stynggling in the water. This occurred while general engagement was in progress. Mr. FERGUSON, in his "Manual of International Law," continues the narrative thus :-- But what /borror! Furious for revenge, the

large Italian frigates came up, on both & Co there are henceforward to be "differential Board had frequently had this subject before sides, to attack the Ferdinand Max. Humanity had to give place to self-preservation, and the Ferdinand Max. being Ra. 370, the cheap passage movement has been itself somewhat damaged by the action of a very decided failure. rankning, had just time enough to mandouvre itself free, in order not to undergo to be an inclination on the part of a few upthe same fate as the Re d'Italia. In the country residents to anticipate a crisis in the Ceylon ten enterprise before long. Whether meantime the Elizabeth, which came up to 'save the lives which were yet to be saved, tain of one thing—that nothing short of Gowas fired upon by the Italian frigates, vernment action can restrict the extension of the area under tea. No appeal to brother which, not comprehending ber object, planters ' is likely to be of the slightest avail. "attacked her and compelled the tender The only thing to be done is for the Planters' Association to memorialise Government asking to withdraw." The Kowshing case is not that no more land suitable for tea oultivation quite analogous to this inasmuch as there shall be alienated from the Crown for some was no general engagement in progress at time to come-not until reference has been Court to inquire how those who were not the time she was sunk and the Naniwa made to the Planters Association. Of course there are areas in private hands which might was not immediately threatened, but the yet be opened in tes, but no control over such Europeans, and this will necessarily involve Japanese commander may have had suffiis possible. All that we can do is to see that Crown land is not thrown indisoriminately on ciont reason for supposing that he was in a the market to help to increase the output of position of peril. At all events, it would be Coylon tea". This sounds something like proonly fair to wait for the Japanese account tection turned upside down.

before arriving at a judgment absolutely

condemnatory of the Naniwa on a charge of

iohumanity. There remains, however, the allegation that the Japanese not only did not attempt to save the drowning men but actually fired on them. On this point there is some conundoubted. It is admitted that the Chinese submit its action to the judgment of such a on the sinking ship fired on the captain THE MINERS' EIGHT HOURS BILL and officers and such of their own and the public will not be in a much better The Japanese also fired on two boats which, as must be supposed, were endeavouring to escape. With so much firing going on the witnesses might well be mistaken as to whether the Japanese also fired on the drowning men. Mr. von HAN-NEREN, in his official deposition taken before the British Vice Consul at Chemulpo, says: -" The fact is that the swimming then were "fired at from the Japanese man of war and "from the sinking ship;" and in an interview with a prese representative he says :--"During all this time," that is, while be lities had already commenced, the two coun- himself was swimming for his life, "I no-"ticed the Japaness firing their machine "gans from the tops of their masts and the kero justified not only in preventing any men with their rifles on board the ship at hinese military force landing in Korea, but "the poor fellows swimming in the water. I lso in rendering it ineffective for further

" saw many of those in the water shot; they the Chamber of Commurce has been forwarded "threw up their arms and uttered a Chinese to us for publication :--"oath and went down." Captain GALEsuffering or destruction of life, the object worther, on the other hand, says; - L' can would have been more properly effected "positively say I did not see the Japanese by simple capture, but this being rendered fire on the Chinese in the water. The impossible by the refusal of the Chinese "Chinese killed many of their own people." telegram this morning from the Secretary of troops to surrender, more rigorous measures Mr. Tamphin, the chief officer, after des. State to the officet that Her Majesty's Government refuses to treat Rice as contraband of war. became necessary. The sinking of a help- cribing how he was picked up by one of the I have the honour to be, sir, your most obeless ship certainly has an inhuman appear. Japanese boats, says:- Two volleys were dient servent, ance about it, but ull warlike measures are "fired from our boat with the object of sinkin their essence in buman. That the Kow. I ing two of the life boats, which, buying got The Secretary Chamber of Commerce, &c., &c. shing was a British ship, flying the British "clear of the ship, were filled with Chinese." flag, does not make any uniterial difference This is the only imention he makes of the to the case, except that it imposes on alleged firing. Both the captain and chief is the tanning of elephants skins, which make, the Japanese the obligation of reimburs- officer, however, agree with Mr. von Han- it is said, excellent carpets though they have the ing the owners for any loss they may nexus as to the firing from the Kouthing, disadvantage of being very expensive. They have sustained by the affair, for it can. These gentlemen appear to have been in close tructible, as the skin, when tunned, is nearly two their excesses smuggled into Hengkong for sale dur. not be maintained, no notice of the existence company for some little time after leaving inches in thickness.

BONGKONG SANITABY BOARD.

The name for inightly meeting of the Sanitary Board was hold yesterday afternoon. The Can Public Works), Mr. J. J. Francis, Q C.; Dr. Hartigan; Surgeon-Major James; Hon. Dr. Ho exposed for sale in the markets, but is it was not Kai; Mr. R. K. Leigh; and Mr. E. A. Ram, really discased could take no legal action, the actual Acting Secretary.

MORTALITY STATISTICS: The Acting Secretary (Mr. Ram) ported that the death-rate for the week ending the markets, and as I see no other way of preventing Ath instant was 183 per 1 000 living as come at I recommend that the Board consider the ad-4th instant was 183 per 1,000 living, as compared with 288 in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding week of visibility of prohibiting the exposure for sale in the corresponding the corresponding the corresponding the corresponding to the corresponding the corresponding to the corres last year. For the week ending 11th instan

cellendy's attention has been called to the fact that there are wells in the Colony the water of which suing such water, or which are likely to promote or by laws Nos. 14, 15, and 16 of Schedule D. of Ording aggravate on demic discous.

I am therefore to suggest that the Sanitary Board as follows :should take the proper steps with a view to the abatement of the nulsance ander section 16, sub-section 3. and the following sections of Ordinance No. 21 of

"J. A. STEWART-LOCKRART,
" Acting Colonial Secretary. memo, attached that wells; known to be contaminated, should be at once closed, and others under suspicion should be subject to analysis. under suspicion should be subject to analysis.

The President—The question has occupied that is necessary and can be easily effected without the attention of the Permanent Committee and changing the Ordinance.—I have the honour to be I think that the letter might usefully be referred lets, your most obedient servan

THE NEW CENTRAL MARKET. A letter from the Acting Colonial Secretary, internal arrangement of the Central Market, ported in the colony, and Dr. Hartigan express

Surgeon Major James, Mr. R. K. Leigh, and Mr. FRANCIS seconded.

SUPERINTENDENTS HALF YEARLY REPORT. The Acting Sanitary Superintendent in his

Under "Drainage Works" the report gives repair by obstruction. Examination shows, press upon the Chinese mind the fact that drains are constructed for the carrying off of suggestion that I made in the annual report for tubes that he procured as I shall show you of a drain which is likely to lead to a nuisance." how it was done :--The following minutes were appended:

Mr. R. K. Leigh-A very able report. I think the question of public latrices should be brought up at a special meeting at an early date. Dr. James-It shows clearly the necessity for increased Dr. Hartigan-An excellent report,

were somewhat] greater than the occasion

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was repeated on Wednesday evening. There

was a crowded audience, and the performance was

a great success. We understand that a third

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this is likely to be the case or not we are cer-

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THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The House is engaged on a debate on the

THE PLAGUE.

The following are the returns for the twenty

RICE NOT CONTRABAND OF WAR.

The following letter from the Government to

His Excellency on the subject he has received a

A new industry, which is likely to have im-

portant developments has come into being. It

Colonial Secretary's Office.

Hongkong, 16th August, 1894.

J. H. STEWARR LOCKHART,

Acting Colonial Secretary

four hours up to noon yesterday:-

Under treatment....... 42

The Bill will be enforced immediately.

In consequence of an adverse non-party vote

enquirer, declaring the story of H.R.H.

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Indian budget.

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London, 15th August.

demanded.

snegostions with some comfort. The Captain Superintendent of Police-Most of the The minstrel entertainment by amateurs, for points raised are urgent. I hope action will be taken the banefit of those engaged on plague work, but the next Board in ching. report; the suggestions should receive carly attention.

report should be printed, but at the same time floot rule. there were one or two suggestions in it which attended, only to suffer a disappointment. The mittee composed of Mr. J. J. Francis, Mr. same thing happened on the last occasion, when Leigh, and the Colonial Surgeon. Dr I ARTIGAN seconded

passage movement. According to Mesers, Cook gard to improvements in the laundries. rates." for second saloen passages, varying from them, and a Committee sent in an elaborate re-Rs. 425 to Rs. 500 according to the position of the port last year. He moved that the Government cabin. Considering that the best cabins in the be asked whether it is likely that anything second saloon could be had some time ago for would be done in connection with that report, The COLONIAL SURGEON seconded. Apreed.

> SANITARY-SURVEYOR'S REPORT. submitted to the Board by the Sanitary Sur-

Sanitary Board Room.

Sir .- I have the bonour to forward you herewith the second quarterly report for 1894. 1.—Plans for the drainage of three hundred and forty-nine (349) houses have been received (252) houses was still incomplete at the close of 1893, giving a total of six hundred and one (601) houses in hand during the present year. 2.—Of the above houses ninety-two (92) were

completed during the first quarter and ninety one (91) during the second quarter, and the plan of two (2) houses was cancelled giving a total of one hundred and eighty-five (185) for the half year and leaving four hundred, and sixteen (416) to-carry forward. .3.—Certificates have been granted during the

half year to thirty-eight (33) houses under section 74 Ordinance 24 of 1887 as having been built in accordance with the provisions of that Ordinanco.

periods of 1892 and 1893. This is to be accounted for in great measure by the visitation of plague house however, now in hand require only to alleged huisance. have the cookhouse floors relaid or gratings fixed in order to complete them, and I trust I may be the Miners' Eight Hours Bill has been with able to report a considerable number completed

at the end of the next quarter. 5.—The time has now undoubtedly arrived for the Board, as mentioned in my annual report for 1893, " to obtain powers for and to institute a systematic inspection of the drainage arrangements of all private premises throughout the Colony." This, in my opinion, is one of the first measures to be adopted to prevent a recurrence of the epidemia which is now, for a time at least, happily at an oud.

6 This work of redrainage must under any pircumstances take a considerable time to comperty owners voluntarily submitting plans and that it will be finished in May plete, but it may be greatly expedited by proassisting by providing for the best materials and workmanship and for a thorough superintendence of the work while it is in hand. 7.—The new drainage arrangements when completed should be periodically inspected, the traps should be cleaned once a week, the drains once i gir months, and all necessary repairs should be

promptly executed. The proverb A stilch in

time seven nine is still true and is very 8. There is a personal responsibility at taching to all owners of property to provide healthy houses for their tensuts, and I sincerely hope they will, even at this late hour, recognise this responsibility and render all the assistance form you that is reply to a communication from in their power to safeguard the City against another outbreak of the plague or some werea

Sanitary Surveyor.

Sir, -I have the honour to forward for the consipossibly diseased) cuttle have been from time to time crease the water supply but what measures they.

Dr. Harroan—I think the whole Board will slaughtered upon different parts of the mainland and are taking for this Board is nobably in a noti- second that ing the night and early morning, and though each re-

nary Surgeon was laid on the table :-

The Board is no doubt awars that many sattle are rejected by me during the course of the year as unit

amount of learness which would rouder the meat

undt for food being very difficult to define when a carcass is dressed for sale. As it is not desirable re that this class of mean should find its way into markets of any flesh most other than that which has that it is very intimately connected with the been slaughtered in the slaughter-houses of the Co. Anting Secretary's half yearly from the h we been in the habit of importing mult quantities although I had a note of this made when I was and report upon the broket system submitted of boof from Whampon by the Canton and Macao sppointed to the Board his report brought it the following report

ance 17 of 1887 to provide for it, a mendment to read Schedule D Ord. 17 of 1687. 14 .- No flosh most other than that which has been slanghtered in the slaughter houses of the Colony I do not think that it is at all likely that fresh ment will ever be imported in large quantities framed prohibiting the importation of fresh meat from the Kwangtung province, which would effectually meet the requirements of the case, but

C. VIVIAN LADDS. The Acting Secretary Sanitary Board. After some little discussion, in which Mr Francis pointed out that the Board could ing the Board's opinion with regard to the not lay down what should or should not be imed approval of the suggestions with a reserva should be left to a sub-Committee consisting of and Kobe meat, it was agreed that the matter should be referred back to Mr. Linds with a request that he should submit, it possible, some

THE PLAGUR BACILLUS. The following letter was laid on the table: To the Secretary of the Sanitary Board. " Sir. - Dr. Yerain has just called upon me work done during the six months in the various and asked me to make it known that he is not

other scheme.

"He is very much annoyed that his name should have been associated with what he terms a foolish statement." point at which he has found the bacillus and that very seldom is it met with beyond one and a half inches from the surface.—Yours faithfully. "JAMES CANTLIE."

The COLONIAL SUBGEON :- I have an answer to make to that. The statement is mine and stated on the facts. I spoke to Dr Yersin my 893, that the Board might wisely amplify the These tubes were produced from the enclosed liable to a penalty for making an improper use and this report sent me by Dr. Libwson shows Government Civil Hospital

" Hongkong, 15th August, 1894." "Dear Dr. ATRES,-By your orders on 20th July, I showed Dr. Yersin round Taipingshan in company with the French Consul. One question to be settled was whether the Bacillus Kitasatonensis was to be found in the soil. At question was once more raised by the Acting suggestions.
Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C.—I think the paper ought to 58 Kai Sza-Kui (Market Street) we found a hole. Captain Superintendent of Police (Major Decap. every mem dug the previous day by some of the Permanent ber and to the press. We can then deal with its Committee of the Sanitary Board. From this hole Dr. Yersin took soil in a test tube (I undersurrounding mud floor was taken. These mea-

The weather appearing a little doubtful last proposed that Mr. Ram's surgestion that a by whether he had had any result from the test and in November of the same year of Committee in the city materials suitable for pigs food. evening the Band of the Hongkong Regiment law rendering tensute liable to penalties for tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed "to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed "to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed "to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed "to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed "to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an quire tube. He answered in the affirmative and thought of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to an appoint of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was appointed to a property of the Sanitary Board was ap rain held off, however, and a number of people creating unisances should be referred to a Com- soon, and considered the discovery most import-The PRESIDENT said that another sugges plague bacillus. I asked if he had tried incon- Ordinance. By laws for the licensing and regular dwellings. pany must be laughing marrily over the cheap tion of the Acting Superintendent [was with re- lation of animals. He replied he had, but that tion of common ledging houses were drawn up. The groups marked D and E are, however,

> conclusions - Yours sincerely. "JAMES A. LOWSON." He took no soil at a depth of two inches. have asked the French Consul to write to D Yersin himself on this subject I am not the babit of telling lies, and I do not care about being publicly told that I do. Dr. HARTINAN assured the Colonial Surgeon that he had no thought of convecting him with the alleged mis-statement.

> Surgeon Major James said that Dr. Yersin had given him to understand that the soil came from a depth of about seven inches. The matter then dropped.

WATER CLOSETS. during the half year, i.e., one hundred and ninety Leigh, and Orange applying on behalf of Messra eight (198) during the first quarter and one bun- D. Sassoon, Sons and Co. for permission to erect tion of the by-laws. It was found that there dred and fifty one (151) during the second quar- water closets in their premises on Inland Lot ter. The drainage of two hundred and fifty-two 514. The following minutes appeared on the lodging houses, 49 per cent of which were circulating gover of the documents.

ot be constructed at present. Dr. W. Hartigen-Should stand over. Hon. Ho Kai-Should stand over Mr. J. J. Francis—Most be refused for the present Mr. R. K. Laigh - Should stand over till the water. closet question is decided.

The Acting Director of Public Works—Must await report of sub-committee. Agreed that the matter should stand over.

AN ALLEGED NUISANCE. A letter was read from Mr. Azevedo, of Kowloon Point, complaining of an alleged nuisance arising from pigaties in the vicinity, of his re-4.-The number of plans received and of sidence. The Acting Superintendent reported Sir Francis Knollys has written to a private houses completed during the half year has fallen that he had visited the place and found it sweet short of the numbers for the corresponding and clean, and he certainly did not consider it an

insani ary noisance. Mr. FRANCIS proposed that Mr. Azevedo bo and the consequent exodus of Chinese-land- informed that he is at perfect liberty to take lords, contractors, and coolies. Many of the any legal proceedings he thinksfit to remove the

The PRESIDENT seconded. Agreed

THE WATER BUPPLY. The President - r. Francis has given nois to provide for an adequate and continuous weter supply, and that no time should be lost in taking measures to secure such a supply." I think

in this particular matter that the Government laws be now put in force. tion to give the Government neef at information Agreed.

port was thoroughly investigated both by the Police and possibly valuable auggestions. With the and myself very little direct avidence was obtained. leave of the Board I ber to withdraw the motion.

Mr. R. K. Luigh-L beg to move " That it is the opinion of this Board that the latring accounmodulion of this city is lusufficient, and that it an early date." In moving this motion f houlth of this col my. The following letter was read from the Acting whether for live animal or its dressed carcass there lolonial Becretary:

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"Sir, from the Colonies, Shanghal, Japan, or planwhere, but sadly deficient. It could be increased at a not prevented the sending in of its report at an anch meat has so far never been expessed for sale in very large outley, and I am of opinion that earlier date. is so tainted with impurities or so unwholesome as to the markets, and even were such to be the case ad that before be missions to the health of persons living near or ditions might be made to my proposed smead wery handsomely, if the Govern- its report was finally agreed to one of its memmont like to charge only a very small fee, bers, Mr. Hampbreys, had ceased to be a mom-

I ame however, of opinion that it would ber of the Board, his term of office expiring on be better that no fee should be charged. This or about 17th of June lest. latring question is entirely mixed up with the 166(3). The members of the Sub-Committee are quation of suitable sumps for the reception of manimons in recommending the continuance of night sail, and also, to a certain extent, with the the bucket system with certain improvements as question of bathing and washing accommodation; regards the mannor in which it is to be carried think it would be well if my motion were re- out and they are also in favour of allowing the The Acting Colonial Secretary. from any of the above-mentioned places, but should I think it would be well if any motion were re- lout, and they are also in tax are of allowing the soil The Acting Superintendent suggested in this come to pass an additional by law might then be ferred to the Permanent Committee in the sume present night soil coolies to remove the soil. way as Mr. Ram's report has been. The two from private houses as they are accustomed to questions are reelly one, and they can be dealt with | do subject to new and improved regulations and ogether. I beg therefore to move that this conditions. proposition he referred to the Permanent Com-

miltes for report. The COLONIAL SURGEON seconded.

COMMON LODGING HOUS 8.

The Captain Superintendent of Police moved -" hat the 1st day of Octobe , 1894, be riers, both mile and female, should be registered fixed by this Board, under by law No. 17 made and licensed. (2) The license fee should be 25 cents on the 21st day of July, 1-92, and approved by per year and no more and the license be renewed the Legislative Council on the 30th day of yearly. (3) No unlicensed person should be November in the same year as the day upon allowed to not as night soil carrier. (4) No new which shall come into force the by-laws for license should be issued nuless the necessity for licensing and regulating Common Lodging the same has been shown to the satisfaction of Houses made under sub-section 12 of section the Sanitary Board. (5) Every carrier should 13 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1887, and sub-take pare to comply, with the conditions of his section (d) of section 1 of Ordinance No. 26 license, a second or third off mos would cause his of 1890." I do not wish to take up the lioruse to be forfeited. (6) All night said cartime of members, but I thick it would be riors should use buckets of a certain pattern to very useful if I run quickly through a short be approved of by the Sanitary Bourd. The memorandum which I drow up the other day size of the backets may very to suit the strength responsible for the statement that the plague setting forth the history of this question. An of individual carriers. The first lot of bunkets bacillus has been found one and a half feet down attempt was made by Mr. W. M. Deane, then should be supplied to them by the Government "He states that three inches is the deepest cooles was threatened and the matter was take to remove the night soil from a particular

dropped. In 1870 another Acting Registrar house he should be required to remove such night General. Mr. C. C. Smith, endeavoured to soil box in the house at least once in every 24 enforce the same provision of the law hours. Removal once every other day or overy shelved In 1872 a third Acting Registrar biblied, and in no case should the night soil General, Mr. Touncohy, made the same attempt, carrier be allowed to make a different agreement. Several prosecutions were instituted, and coolie- (8) The carrier should only work between the house keepers fined. A strike followed. The hours of I am and 6 30 am. (9) The carriers of occlies were induced to return to work by the the various districts should elect yearly out of promise that any grievance they had would be their number a Committee of not more than 12 enquired into. The matter was again allowed to to represent them. This Committee should Secretary of the Sanitary Board in connection Government full and true information whenever with overcrowding. The matter was referred to called apon to do so. the Registrar General (Dr. Stewart), who "refused to engage in a contest which two of his predecessors had found to be hopeless." In 136 the

ster) in connection with the overcrowding of the cost-coolie lodging houses in Wanchet A few of by Mr. Kennedy at Causeway Biv. reprosecutions were instituted by the Sanitary stood it to be sterilised) I pointed out what Board under Ordinance 7 of 1883, section 3. soil to take. Soil at depths of 21-22 inches, 16- which provided for the prospention of bouse-The Acting Director of Public Works—A very valuable 17 inches and 6-8 inch a below the level of the holders (or their agents) whose houses were overgrowded and convictious were obtained, but to their open construction there is no objection The PRESIDENT said that he agreed that the surements I took carefully with an English two as the Public Health Ordinance was on the stocks the Board decided to take no general ac-"Three days later in company with Dr. Moly. Lion until the passing of that law. The Public they might at once take some steps upon. He neur, I visited Dr. Yermin. I enquired as to Health Ordinance was proclaimed in May, 1883,

for the spread of a ruleour that the Government | state Their objections were substantially that (a) the any large town license fee would constitute a politar ou the 1. The following minute was appended:coolies frequenting their lodging houses, and (b) that by the reduction in the number of the which I condemned. explaining that it was not intentied to charge a these people off without making some provision were in the Eastern District of Victoria 100 overoruwded in the Central District 165 such

Surgeon Major James -I think water closets abould | houses, 35 per cent. of which were overcrowded, and in the Western 189 houses, 81 per cent of which were overcrowded. The total number of lodgers was found to be 9,474; the number that would be allowed in the above house under the Bye-laws to be 9,631, and the net gain in rent to be \$250 a month. Petitions were at the same time forwarded to Government by the coal coolies at Warchai and the inmates of the Tungkun coolie houses Victoria praying that the regulations be not put in force. The two principal objections to the regulations (and the only ones worth considering) advanced in these petitions were (a against the furnishing of certificates of character and the giving of security under section 6 and (b) the taking out of licenses under section These betitions were referred to the Sanitary Board and the Board in November 1891 resolved that the date of the coming juto fo or of the or laws be altered to lat August, 1892. In the mean time a Committee of the Board was a pointed to consider the question of the enforcement of the by Messrs. J. H. Cor and W. H. Potts and in London by-laws. In May, 1892, the Board was asked by Government for its report, and in July the Committee's report was forwarded to Government, tice that he will move the following resolution: In it was recommended that the date -"That in the opinion of this Board the first the coming into force of the by-laws be duty of the Government at the present moment postponed until a day to be hereafter fixed by the Board. Bye-law 17 (as amended by the Board on the 21st July. 1892, and approved by Legislative Council on the 16th Nov. 1392) now

it may save a good deal of time if I state at once. reads as follows:- These bys laws shall not as I am in a position to state, the Government come into force until a day has been fixed by the has taken steps to increase the water supply. Sanitary Board, approved by the Legislative that the plans have been made out and work will Council and published in the Gosetto." That be commenced in October, and it is calculated gentlemen, gives you briefly the history of the question, showing how from time to time it has you I agfortunately been shelved. I regard it as a have not the least objection to withdrawing this very important question for there is not the the Governor to apply for additional powers mitigate that overcrowding. Lalso think it Adjusting account (exchange and interest) 265,918.52 to compel the connection of the whole of would be wise for this community to back up the houses in the Colony to the separate system the Sanitary Board and the Government in ena refusal based and only justified on the ground forcing the by laws when passed. It may esued that there was not an adequate or sufficient sup- a strike, as it has done before, and it may cause ply of water to enable the system to be effective | some temporary inconvenience and loss of money | Charges, calaries, directors' fees, &c...... ly worked,—it became the immediate duty of the to some, but, wentlemen, I consider that no | Balance carried forward to next account ... 76,122,19 Board to call the attention of the Government amount of inconvenience that it might cause is to the fact that the water supply was inadequate worthy of consideration when we look at the inand nothing could be effectively done to come convenience and misery that another visitation and be effectively done to come convenience and misery that another visitation and Balance brought forward from last half year 40,554.18 plate the sanifary arrangements of the colony of the plague may cause. I do not think any. Balance brought forward from last half year 40,554.18 until the water supply was made sufficient. If body ought to look at the loss that a temporary Gross earnings for half year ending 30th disease.—I have the hopour to be, sir, your the Government are now taking active mea, strike might occasion to themselves when the obedient servant,

The Carolina is no necessity for the Board health of the whole community, or at any rate of sures there is no necessity for the Board health of the whole community, or at any rate of to move in the matter, but I do think, and a very large section of it, is involved. I myself I hope that the Board agrees with me in question very much whether there would be a E. A. Ram, Esq. Acting Secretary Sanitary the opinion, that it should be intimated in some strike at all; but whether there is or not, or way to the Government that the Sanitary rather even if there is: I am perfectly certain Board ought to be informed when the Govern- that life and property in this Colony can be plain that their attractions and inflaence are un-The following letter from the Colonial Veteri- ment are taking steps with a view to an in- safeguarded without a great deal of trouble, and derrated. A few weeks ago the worthy bur-

Oninglaitlaid houses. Dr. HARRIGAN moved-"I. That the Per-The Phesident-I will suggest that a letter I manout Committee be instructed to examine and be drafted embodying the remarks of Mr. report to the Board what powers if any, are rejection being extreme emaciation; and it would be Francis, pointing out the reasons for which he vested in the Board enabling it to define and a very easy matter to slengtter these animals in Chi- gave notion of the motion, and also asking that declare what houses are unfit for human habita-Vice-President presided, and there were also nese territory and bring their carcases across to Vic. in future the Board may by favoured with in tion, and to make by laws for improving or closures by President points. If his property in the subject of the darkness of the darkness of the berganger we will have a letter written.

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But the president presided, and there were also nese territory and bring their carcases across to Vic. in future the Board may by favoured with in tion, and to make by laws for improving or closure. If his president is the president in the president prepare and submit a deaft letter to the Government, asking for such powers, if and so far as The PRESIDENT-I second the motion.

the Board is not pois, seed thereof." would be advisable for the Government to build cortainly think that the Sanitary Board ought suitable and sufficient free public lateines at to do everything in its powers to improve th THE BUCKET SYSTEM.

The Sub-Committee appointed to enquire into

(4) The Sub-Committee submit the follow

ling suggestions to the Board which, if adopte would immensely improve the present system of removing night soil from honses effective and less objectionable to the public at large. Suggestious: -(1) all existing night soil car-

Acting as Registrar-General, to enforce section free of cost, but the carriers would have to 18 of Ordinance 8 of 1858, which provides for maintain them in good order and repair and to the licensing of lodging houses for Chinese replice them when worn out or broken at their labourers and, emigrants. A strike of the own expense 71 When a night soil coolie under-A strike ensued and the question was again | third or fourth day, etc., should be strictly pro-The question had hitherto been one of lastist the Sanitary Board in exercising a general licensing only in the interests of law and order; and strict supervision over the whole of the In 1883 it was again raised, but this time by the pright soil carriers and should fornish to the

"Ho Kal. "F. U. MAY. The report was adopted.

THE CAUSEWAY BAY NUISANCE Dr. James and Mr. Leigh, the sub committee bearing more sensing entraction to testing design of testing and

The majority of these squatters' houses are constructed of bamboo sogar-basket work, and are of very flimsy and temporary nuture. Owing to them on the score of ventilation. "The inhabitants of these houses are occupied n gardoning and the keeping of pigs: for the

latter purpose they collect from house to house "The group of houses marked A B and C on the accompanying plan are situated on fairly high which is supposed to exist in Victoria," On the ground, and all excrets and drainage from bouse ant. We agreed. We saw the culture tube. I 17th of October, 1890, the Committee presented and pig-sties are collected and used as manure in requested to see a microscopic specimen of the its report, and recommended inter alia that over the gardens. To these groups we can see no oulture. I was shown a specimen. The organ. crowding in coolie houses should be dealt with special objection, as they appear and tary in the organ. isms had the same appearance to the eye as the under the lodging house chances of the Health selves and are some distance from any permittent

"I have stated facts—you can draw your own ment finally approved as they now stand by the built in a swamp. The floors are very damp and Liegislative Council on the 22nd of May, 1891, are only composed of a few ashes and occasionaland were to come into force on the lst day of ly tiles; these, together with the pig-sties, have August in the same year. This was the signal no fall for drainage, and are kept in a very dirty

was about to lavy a poli-tax on all coolies in We strongly advise the entire removal of Hongkong. The Registrar-General Mr Lock- groups D and E as being unfit for habitation; at hart) by means of circulars and by personal in- the same time we ber to recommend that suitable terviews explained the provisions and objects of sites near the city be provided for this class of the Regulations to the coolie house masters, squatters, who are more or less indispensable to

Dr. Hartigan The houses condomned are thou nmates of their houses they would suffer a Mr. R. K. Luigh made some remarks on the os of rent. The first objection was met by bardship which would be entailed by turning

A letter was received from Messrs. Danby. Hoomso fee, and the second was runt by making for them, and he arged that the Government a calculation as to the effect in the rent direct should be asked to provide squatter's ground for It was resolved to first write to Masses Jardine Matheson and co. asking whother they intended to turn those people off.

The Board then adjourned.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA. J.IMITED. The following is the report of the Directors

for the balf year ending 30th June :-Gentlemen, We have the pleasure to submit to on the interim accounts for the eix months ending The profit earned so far amounts to \$35,568.01 which with \$40,554.18 brought forward, makes a total of \$78,192,19 andivided profits carried forward. We trust that these figures will be considered same actory tolong into consideration the present depressed condition of trade in the East, from which, however, t is quite within the bounds of probability that we may at any-time see a healthy reaction. We have no special feature to remark upon and

The accounts at the head office have been audited by Messra. Deloitte, Dever, Griffiths & Co., chartered coountants. - Your obedient servant. D. Gultes. Chairman. Hangkong, 13th August, 1894.

have simply to say that the affairs of the Bank have

at all times our earnest attention and care.

BALANCE SHERT, SOTH JUNE, 1894.

Capital, partly paid, £332,081 (at per of On drafts, soceptances and endomements (bille re-discounted) Balance of profit and loss account 495,790.08 **\$**5 309,180.6**5** 

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creased water supply or taking steps in any little difficulty that we might experience ghers and inhabitants of the Crocodile River matter which has any relation or connection will not last more than a week. Therefore, ward, in the district of Pretoria, presented a with the sanitary state of the colony .- and I think gentlemen, I most strongly arge that these by- petition to the Raad praying that "no assistant selling liquor behind a bar shall be allowed to be Don several occasions during the past two or three might usefully inform the Board not merely the Colonial Surgeon—I second that of the female ser. As a reason for the prohibition it was gravely set forth that "these years rumours have reached me that inferior (and that they are to lug measures with a view to inburgbers," and that the future of the country is therefore imperilled by their employment.

#### a chair handy when they want it—and the cor pensations which are found in London, wi POLICE COURT. the thermometer at 60, do not exist in Hon 16th August. kong. We want our population to be double and not driven away. We want manufactori BEFORE COMMANDER W. C. H. HASTINGS cheap labour, and cheap lodging; and I ventu Dennis Corcoran, a seaman, was brought up, which the people of Hongkong are concerns charged by Delare Singh, P.C. 580, with being | these considerations should find place. - I'm drank and incapable in the public street, on the yours faithfully. GRANVILLE SHARP Hongkong, 16th August, 1894. Defendant admitted the charge, and was fined \$1, or, in default, seven days hard labour. NO LIGHT OR PASS. CANTON. U Chan and Kwan To, coolies, were charged with being abroad on the night of the 15th just. FROM A CORRESPONDENT. without carrying a pass or light, and not being 16th August ablo-to-give satisfactory reasons for being out, The Conton Philharmonic Society, which were fined \$7 each, or twenty-eight days hard so warmly applanded at the concert in the C labour. Theatre-lately, has made a second appearan this time in an open air concert given on Ng Kwong Tin, described as a scholar, was Tennis Ground last evening, and is to be war charged by Kar Singh, excise officer, with being ly congratulated on the success conseved. I in possession of eight taels of prepared opium on novelty of out-door music is appreciated by the 15th instant, without a certificate. residents, who have long felt the want of so Sergeant Pholps said he saw the opium pr diversion of this kind to break the monotony. into defendant's box on board the steamer Fatour dull existence. Yesterday's programme w shan, which was lying alongside the wharf short, but the performance was excellent, thou Defendant had a permit to carry eight made of the number of the Society's members is sm the drug, which quantity he placed on top of his and they have been practising but a short tir clothes, undernanth which the eight tails in We sincerely wish the Society's speedy grow question was secreted. and long life, and hope that we shall shortly Fined \$30, with the alternative of three favoured with another soirés musicals. menths' hard labour. The opium to be confia-Cases of cho srine are still reported in City, being ascribed to the too free use of fra STREET GAMBLING. and water in this hot weather. Wong Hing, Chan Fuk, and Li Yat Shu The authorities are continuing to curol bray unol es, were arrested by Chinese constable I for the war up North. Loung and charged with gambling on Prays West on the 15th inst. They made no defence, and were fined, the first defendant \$6, or twenty-COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. one days' hard labour; the second and third de fendants, \$1 each, or seven days, hard labour. THURSDAY, 16th August. UNLICHNERD JUNK. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. Ho Kum Shing, junk master, was charged by EXCHANGE. acting sergeant Ho U with using his craft in the waters of the colony on the 15th inst. without On LON DON: having a license. Defendant admitted the charge, and was fined Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ..... \$10, or one month's hard labour. Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ... 2/14 CORRESPONDENCE. Documentary Bills, 4 months sight2/2 PARIS. We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions Bank Bills, on demand ...... expressed by our Correspondents. Credits at 4 months sight ......271 ON CERTIANY. PLAGUE AND PREVENTION. On demand No. 12. On New York. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." DEAR SIR,-In my letter No. 11. in vone Cr lits 60 days sight ...... 581 issue of this morning, I have ventured to criticise the employment of the military in the ON BOMBAY. cleansing and disinfecting work when the plague was at its height. Owing to my absence for three weeks in Japan, I had overlooked the im-CALCUITA.— Telegraphic Pransfer nossibility, which existed of procuring Chinese abour at that time, and that the European force of police was quite incapable of this added work. On SHANGHAL. Barr at sight In the full conviction that there must have been Private 30 days sight ..... some cogent resson for such a departure from the ordinary procedure, I have qualified my re- ON YOLOHAMA On demand marks by a general allusion to the exceptional conditions prevailing at the time; but the real cause, arising from the flight of the working masons and painters, had escaped On SINGAPORN. me, and I hasten to make this acknowledge Sovererges Bank's Buying Rate .... 9.26 ment. But to return to the reports of Committees on the proposed destruction of Taining JOINT STOCK SHARES. shan. Some say :- "We marely reflected the PAID OF QUOTATIONS COMPANI "opinions of experts and of the mutical profes-'sion; our concinsion, were unavoidable." How \$125 08 p. ot. pm., sa Hongkong & S'hu so? Are there not towns in England where the China, Japan, &c. . 22.5.0 nom. Do., Founders ... 21 25, buye mortality is constantly one per cent. of their £1 £5, buyers inhabitants over that of more favoured districts? Nat. Bank of Ch. Is this accepted as a proof that the whole town £8 428 B. Shares..... must be levelled and the buildings barned? Foun Shares. Certainly not Compassion is doubtless felt for srown & Co., H. G., the fork and seissor grinders of Sheffield, and Campbell, Moore &Co. \$10 34, sellers ---for some skilled labourers in Birmingham China Borneo ......... \$55 nom. \$100 - 165, sel'ers that their lives are a year or two shorter l le, 25 Ll p. et. prem. than those of other men. The same for the whole class of miners in the North of England, and to the amiliaration of the state Dairy Farm Co. and of tower and the route ion of their paonla Fenwick & Co., Geo. of towns and the constrion of their people the most constant care of the authorities at home is given; but I have yet to learn that H. Brick & Cement a mortality of one per cent. arising from an epidemic has ever been followed by a serious Hongkong & C. Gas. \$50 **\$5**50, sellers \$12.50 \$4, buyers ~ \$8 | \$4½, buyera | \$100 | \$70 \$50 1364, ex div. buy while ago, was the building burned? Certainly Hongkong Rope..... not. The most complete means of disinfection H. & W. 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THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL. The H. & A. steamer Menmair, from Australia. left Port Darwin on the 11th inst for this port via Timor.

MERCHANT STRANGES. The N. G. L. stoamer Bormida left Bombay on the 9th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 27th inst. The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Maria Valerie left Singapore for this port on Sunday, the The P. & O. steamer Japan left Bombay for

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